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NOTE

The resolutions and decisions of the Economic and Social Council are identified as follows:

Resolutions

Until 1977 (up to and including the resumed sixty-third session), the resolutions of the Economic and Social Council were numbered consecutively and were identified by an arabic numeral followed by an indication of the session in parentheses (for example: resolution 1733 (LIV), resolution 1915 (ORG-75), resolution 2046 (S-III), adopted at the fifty-fourth session, the organizational session for 1975 and the third special session, respectively). When several resolutions were adopted under the same number, each of them was identified by a capital letter (for example: resolution 1926 B (LVIII), resolutions 1954 A to D (LIX)). The last resolution so numbered is resolution 2130 (LXIII), of 14 December 1977.

Since 1978 as part of the new system adopted for symbols of Council documents, the resolutions are numbered on a yearly basis and are identified by two arabic numerals separated by an oblique stroke, the first numeral indicating year, the second the number of the resolution in the annual series (for example: resolution 1990/47).

Decisions

Until 1973 (up to and including the resumed fifty-fifth session), the decisions of the Council were not numbered. From 1974 to 1977 (up to and including the resumed sixty-third session), the decisions were numbered consecutively and were identified by an arabic numeral followed by an indication of the session in parentheses (for example: decision 64 (ORG-75), decision 78 (LVIII), adopted at the organizational session for 1975 and the fifty-eighth session, respectively). The last decision so numbered is decision 293 (LXIII), of 2 December 1977.

Since 1978, as part of the new system adopted for symbols of Council documents, the decisions are identified by two arabic numerals separated by an oblique stroke, the first numeral indicating the year, the second the number of the decision in the series (for example: decision 1990/287).

The resolutions and decisions adopted by the Council in 1990 are published in three supplements to the *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1990* as follows:

Supplement No. 1 (organizational session for 1990 and first regular session of 1990);

Supplement No. 1A (second regular session of 1990);

Supplement No. 1B (resumed second regular session of 1990).

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* The Council did not adopt any resolutions at its resumed second regular session of 1990.

1990/284. Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its second special session

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 9 November 1990, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on the work of its second special session.[1]

1990/285. Note verbale dated 27 September 1990 from the Permanent Representative of Ethiopia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 9 November 1990, the Economic and Social Council decided to consider the note verbale dated 27 September 1990 from the Permanent Representative of Ethiopia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General[2] at its organizational session for 1991, within the context of the programme of work of the Council for 1991.

1990/286. Dates of the thirty-second session of the Commission for Social Development

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 9 November 1990, the Economic and Social Council decided that the thirty-second session of the Commission for Social Development, which was to have been held at Vienna from 13 to 22 February 1991, would be held from 11 to 20 February 1991.

1990/287. Dates of the Tenth Meeting of Experts on the United Nations Programme in Public Administration and Finance

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 9 November 1990, the Economic and Social Council, having considered the note by the Secretariat,[3] decided that the Tenth Meeting of Experts on the United Nations Programme in Public Administration and Finance, which was to have been held from 30 January to 8 February 1991, would be held in September 1991, with the exact dates and venue to be decided at the organizational session of the Council for 1991.

[1] *Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 25* (A/45/25).

[2] E/1990/121.

[3] E/1990/L.56.

1990/288. Emergency assistance to Samoa, American Samoa, Niue, Tokelau, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Wallis and Futuna

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 9 November 1990, the Economic and Social Council took note of the oral report made by the Chief of the East Asia and Pacific Division, Regional Bureau for Asia and the Pacific of the United Nations Development Programme, on emergency assistance to Samoa, American Samoa, Niue, Tokelau, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Wallis and Futuna.[4]

1990/289. Report of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination on the second part of its thirtieth session

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 9 November 1990, the Economic and Social Council decided to take note of the report of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination on the second part of its thirtieth session[5] and to endorse the conclusions and recommendations contained therein relating to the proposed programme 45 of the medium-term plan for 1992-1997 (African economic recovery, development and transformation) and the proposed programme 31 (Regional co-operation for development in Asia and the Pacific).

1990/290. Report of the Chairmen of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination and the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination on the twenty-fifth series of Joint Meetings of the two Committees

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 9 November 1990, the Economic and Social Council decided to take note of the report of the Chairmen of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination and the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination on the twenty-fifth series of Joint Meetings of the two Committees,[6] to endorse the conclusions and recommendations contained therein and to transmit the report to the General Assembly at its forty-fifth session for consideration under the appropriate agenda item.

1990/291. Elections and nominations

1. At its 38th plenary meeting, on 9 November 1990, the Economic and Social Council took the following action with regard to vacancies in its subsidiary bodies:

COMMISSION ON HUMAN SETTLEMENTS

The Council postponed until a future session the election of three members from African States and two members from Asian States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 1991.

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

The Council elected SWEDEN for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 1991.

The Council postponed until a future session the election of:

(*a*) Six members from African States, three for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 1991 and three for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1992;

(*b*) Six members from Asian States, three for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 1991 and three for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1992;

(*c*) Eight members from Western European and other States, four for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 1991 and four for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1992.

COMMISSION ON TRANSNATIONAL CORPORATIONS

The Council postponed until a future session the election of one member from Latin American and Caribbean States and one member from Western European and other States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 1991.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL WORKING GROUP OF EXPERTS ON INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS OF ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING

The Council postponed until a future session the election of:

(*a*) Four members from African States, three for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 1991 and one for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1991;

(*b*) One member from Asian States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 1991;

(*c*) One member from Latin American and Caribbean States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 1991.

2. At the same meeting, the Council took the following action with regard to the vacancies in six of its subsidiary and related bodies that had arisen as a result of the accession of the German Democratic Republic to the Federal Republic of Germany on 3 October 1990:

COMMISSION ON HUMAN SETTLEMENTS

The Council elected POLAND for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1991.

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

The Council postponed until a future session the election of one member from Eastern European States for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1994.

COMMISSION ON TRANSNATIONAL CORPORATIONS

The Council elected ROMANIA for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1992.

[4] See *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1990, Plenary Meetings*, vol. II, 38th meeting.

[5] *Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 16* (A/45/16), part two.

[6] E/1990/123.

COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

The Council elected the UKRAINIAN SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLIC for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1991.

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN'S FUND

The Council elected CZECHOSLOVAKIA for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 July 1993.

WORLD FOOD COUNCIL

The Council nominated YUGOSLAVIA for election by the General Assembly at its forty-fifth session for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 1991.

3. Also at the same meeting, because of the withdrawal of the nomination of MEXICO to fill the vacancy in the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination, the Council took the following action:

COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAMME AND CO-ORDINATION

The Council nominated BRAZIL for election by the General Assembly at its forty-fifth session for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 1991.

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